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Thinking Out Loud

H. M. L.

Attorney Bertram Edises, counsel for CIO local affiliate No. 283 in the Labor Board hearing in which the union seeks reinstatement of the men discharged when the Old Brunswick closed April 16, evoked loud and prolonged applause Fricay, when he declared that "whenever a corporation seeks to break a labor union it always gives some other reason than union activity. In this instance it would seem that high-grading is the excuse to be used by the Idaho Maryland." The applause was rebuked by Examiner McNally, who declared that another demonstration of this kind would result in closed sessions.

This was preliminary to the testimony of John F. Bongard, inspector for the California Division of Mines, who against the protest of Edises, testified that his estimate of highgrade loss to the Idaho Maryland corporation was $250,000 annually. He stated that he handed in the names of 20 to 30 gold thieves to the Idaho Maryland officials and 30 to Empire Star mines. Prior to this Bongard stated that between $400,000 and $500,000 is high-graded each year in the Nevada City-Grass Valley district. At one time he planted an assistant posing as a gold buyer, in Grass Valley, with a crushing pan, who bought $3000 worth of gold monthly from highgraders. Among them, he said, were miners at work in the Old Brunswick.
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In his preliminary statement Judge Edgar Zook declared that it had long been the practice of mine managements when "one man in a crew of four was known to be high-grading, not only to discharge that man but also the other three," since the three must have known of the highgrading whether they participated in it or not. Miners refuse to bring information of gold thefts to the management and the only recourse the management has is to discharge not only those who are guilty but those who have knowledge of the theft.

The name of William E. Moulton, recently convicted of violating the Gold Reserve act was brought into the testimony. Bongard stated that Moulton in 1935 had sold gold to the U. S. Mint in San Francisco, amounting to $201,000, and in eight months of 1936 to September 1, a total of $176,000.

We surmise that this kind of testimony will give food for thought to the Labor Board when it comes to consider the case of the Local 283 vs. the Idaho Maryland Mines Corporation. In its answer to the complaint the Idaho Maryland also declares, and no testimony has been adduced to contradict it, that among the twenty or twenty-five men re-employed after he closing of the Old Brunswick apparenttly five were members of Local 283. If this is the case it would seem to indicate that the management was actuated by a desire to eradicate gold thievery.

Viewed from any angle the hearing is deeply interesting. In order to maintain our nationally high standards of living, to obtain justice for the workers as well as for their employers, and in order to preserve our democracy, we must have well organized, well disciplined, and well managed unions or associations of the workers. This hearing is one of the first two or three to be held in California under the Wagner act. It is possible that out of the act something may emerge of benefit to people in all walks of life. The act is on trial before the people. It is too early to predict its ultimate effect.

No one can tell now whether the CIO or AF of L will win in the present battle which stretches across the United States. At the moment this is written the CIO is taking a setback in the steel mills. Tomorrow it may stage a comeback. In the meantime the AF of L is certainly doing one thing which helps it in the favor of the disinterested public. Its disciplines its own members, has a higher regard for the character of its membership, and greater respect for the contracts it enters into, than the CIO has thus far displayed. The resort to terrorism on the part of newly organized CIO unions in the steel mills, is just as loathsome to the American people as the terrorism formerly practiced by the steel masters. The American people will repudiate and destroy any organization that practices terrorism as the Ku Klux Klan and, more recently, the Black Legion of Michigan, bear witness.

The urgent need of organized labor today is intelligent leadership, along with such self discipline imposed under its own rules that direct actionists, communists, downright slackers who never deliver an honest days' work, are excluded from their ranks. And, fully as important, there is needed a responsibility and liability that will insure fulfillment of contract when one is made with employers. It goes without saying that both parties to any contract should be legally bound to carry out its terms.

STATE TRAFFIC MEN TO SNAP ROAD CRASHES

SACRAMENTO, June 28.—More than 100 members of the California highway patrol are to be schooled in the use of photography as a means of determining highway accident responsibility, E. Raymond Cato, chief of the patrol, announced yesterday.

Experiments have been made in various parts of the state for the past six months by officers, skilled in photography, taking pictures of highway mishaps and this visual evidence has aided in convictions of careless or reckless drivers, Cato said. These trained officers will be used as instructors at the patrol training school in Sacramento.

"Only officers with an aptitude for photography will be permitted to take this course," Cato said. "We intend to have several patrolmen in each county qualified in the use of cameras to aid in accident investigations.

"A month or so after an accident witnesses generally are hazy about details, but photographs and measurements remain the same and have proved valuable in many court cases."

It is stated R. C. Kirby, who has resided in Nevada Ctiy about two years, has gone to Reno, Nevada to reside and follow his profession as barber.

LAVA CAP LOSES TO EMPIRE NINE

The Lava Cap baseball team has been running at top throughout the playing so far, suffered a 28 to 8 defeat at the hands of the Murchie team of Pioneers Park diamond Sunday afternoon. The Murchie team out played the Lava Cap boys from the first and while the defeated team last they are good sports and are making no excuses.

The Lava Cap team won from the Empire team at Watt Park last Wednesday evening by a score of 11 to 7. Lava Cap has lead the field but with the loss of the game Sunday, three contesting teams, Lava Cap, North Star and Empire, have tied. There are two more games to be played to complete the first half of this series.

The Lava Cap team will play the Idaho Maryland team Friday evening on Watt Park diamond.

PUBLIC CIO MEETING HELD IN GRASS VALLEY

The public meeting called to hear labor leaders from San Francisco last evening in the Memorial building in Grass Valley attracted between 175 and 200, many of whom came out of curiosity. The meeting, according to officers of the local 283 was called to give the public a true picture of what had occurred at the hearing now going on in the same building, in which some miners, formerly employed by the Idaho Maryland mine, are seeking under the Wagner act, to be reinstated. The speakers who had been expected to come up from San Francisco did not appear.

COWLEY IS WITNESS IN LABOR HEARING

Jack Cowley, superintendent for Idaho Maryland Mines Corporation, who was in charge of the Old Brunswick, today gave testimony in the Labor Board hearing which is in progress in Memorial Hall in Grass Valley. He stated that the veins in the Old Brunswick were pinching out, and gave other details of work which pertained to the decision to close the mine.

FIRE WORKS FORBIDDEN IN NATIONAL FOREST

Supervisor Nelson of the Tahoe National Forest invites the public to spend the week end of July 4th in one of the many improved campgrounds throughout the Tahoe National Forest with the assurance that everything within the uower of himself and staff will be done to make their stay a pleasant one. Supervisor Nelson states that at no other time during the summer months is the recreational use of the Forest any heavier than it is during the July 4th holidays and with this use the fire hazard had increased to such an extent that again this year, as in the past, it will be necessary to request strict compliance with the state law prohibiting the use of fire works within the Tahoe National Forest.

GAME BIRDS RECEIVED ON LOMA RICA RANCH

On June 19 delivery was made to the government preserve on the Loma Rica ranch of MacBoyle farms, of 200 baby Mongolian pheasants and 50 chucker partridges. They were day old chicks and were placed in the brooders. In two or three weeks they will be moved into larger pens where they will remain until released. It is expected more birds will be brought to the preserve as soon as the brooders are empty.

GERMAN NOMINATES FRENCH ROTARY HEAD

A note from Earl Covey, manager of the J. C. Penney store in Grass Valley, who has been attending the International Convention of Rotary in Nice, France, states that that city is a truly wonderful convention city. He relates that while he has little difficulty in making the French understand his pronunciation of their language he does have some trouble understanding them.

Indicating the influence Rotary wields on international peace he comments on the fact that a German delegate nominated the new International President of Rotary, Maurice du Perry of Paris.

BANK GIVES WAY AND CAR TURNS OVER

Three young men in a sedan car met another car in the narrow road above Washington about a quarter of a mile yesterday afternoon, and obeying the driver's gesture of the oncoming car, turned out to let the car by. The bank gave way under their own car which turned over, landing on its top on shelf just below the road. The young men picked up a ride into Grass Valley and secured help in getting their car back on the road.

LAST RITES FOR MRS. NELLIE DAVIS

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Nellie H. Davis, 48 years old, were held this morning at 10:30 o'clock at the Holmes Funeral Home with Rev. Charles Washburn officiating. Mrs. Davis passed away Saturday after a brief illness. She had been making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Teal at the Teal ranch near this city.

Pall bearers were Elmer Pratt, Adrian Hurst, William Peard, Joe Gerald, Elbert Peard and Alfred Peard.

FORMER RESIDENT VISITS

Mrs. Annie Williams Dassonville and daughter, Mrs. Johnston of Benecia former Nevada City residents, were business visitors in this city Friday. Mrs. Dassonville, the former Miss Annie Williams was born and reared in Nevada county, leaving here about 40 years ago. She has come back to her home city several times and enjoys visiting old time friends. They called on Mrs. Ed Murchie, Mrs. W. E. Meservey and daughter. The Murchie house was her former home. The ladies note many changes in Nevada City and missed many old time friends who have moved away or died.

CORRECTION

Through an error, the name of H. W. Hartung was placed at the head of True Tales of the June 25, issue of the Nugget instead of the name A. Hartung, Jeweler.

Mrs. J. M. Hoff and Miss Dorothe Hoff, her daughter, and Mills Hoff, son, returned Monday afternoon from a trip to Oakland visiting relatives.

TWO BROTHERS CHANGE PLACES IN COUNTY JAIL

A quick change of prisoners, brothers, was enacted at the court house in Nevada City this forenoon when the sheriff's office released W. Calhoun from custody and arrested Leonard Calhoun as he appeared to assist his brother.

The first brother was arrested Saturday night in Grass Valley for disturbing the peace when his sister in law complained.

In the meantime a telegram had been received from authorities at Anaconda, Montana, requesting the arrest of Len Calhoun and Frank Lightner.

When Deputy Sheriff W. Woods asked if the prisoner was related to Len Calhoun the brother stated, "why he's my brother, do you know him?" He's a miner in the Brunswick mine." Wood stated he did and Len was sent for to assist his brother in getting ou of jail. The sister in law withdrew her complaint this morning and the brother was released before Len arrived. When Len appeared Woods said: "Well, I guess you are the man we want," greatly to the surprise of Calhoun. The telegram was then read to him and he is in jail awaiting instructions from the Montana officers. He claims he does not know where Lightner has gone.

SWIM LESSONS WELL ATTENDED

Boys and girls are receiving free swimming lessons at the pool in Pioneers park. The lessons are given in the morning, prior to opening the pool for the day. Life Guard Verle Gray states that the great majority of youngsters take to swimming like ducks to water.

Girls enrolled for lessons are the following:

Sylvia Ronning, Dorothy Kennedy, Betty Diason, Josephone Thuren, Betty Marshall, Beth Sattler, Naomi, Cleland, Betty Jacobs, Josephone Johnson, Fay Williams. Mildred Tobiassen, Betty Lou Krough, Lotus Wales, Wanetta Williams, Jean Fitzsimmons, Sara Nsrey, Mary Jean Herlath, Kathleen Garrich, Lucille Hafelfinger, Roberta Roberts, Jane Laird, Mara Hughes, Alein Merrigan, Jean Reilly, Lucille Richersons, Annette Smith, Patty Turner, Jane Turner, Marie Manley, Virginia Manley, Alice Mae Fath, Virginia Bonebrake.

BOYS

Swimmers—Hal Bagshaw, James ilton, Bob Bonner, Bob Giovanetti, McLeod, Dean Laughlin, Jimmy Ham-Bill Tobiassen, Dean Shroder, Ernest Helme.

BEGINNERS

Wanny Jones, DeWald Bonebrake, Buddy Hafelfinger, Mark Roberts, Justus Kennedy, William Kennedy, Dale Berger, Sverne Ronningen, Billy Giovanetti, Hubert Stroh, George Nelson, Raymond Nelson.

CITIZENSHIP GRANTED TO TWENTY ALIENS

Twenty of the 27 men and women taking tests to become citizens of the United Staets were admitted at the examiner's hearing in the Nevada County court house in Nevada City today. The following are the list of names admitted.

Andra Armati, Ole Bergeson Wergeland, Anna Jensen Wergeland, Truckee; Joseph Lembeye, Hobart Mills; LeRoy Ferris Whitney, Mrs. Ragnhild Ronning, Llya Radmanovich, Fernanda Zadra, Mrs. Mary Lucy Muscardini, Nevada City; William Henry Bartle, Mrs. Clasissa Gregg, Daniele Solaro, Everett Hitchen, John Chegwidden, John Moffat Hynds, Michael Joseph Caulifield, Edward Ernest Rogers, Mrs. Agnes Lloyd, Joseph David Tellam, Johanna Personeni, Grass Valley.

STATE EMPLOYEES' MEETING

The California State Employees' Association, Peach Bowl Chapter Number 40, were entertained by their regular quarterly meeting at Truckee, Nevada county, Saturday night. The host was the C. H. Weeks, superintendent at Truckee. Many Nevada City crew members attended. The first meeting was held in Marysville, second in Auburn and the two coming meetings will be held in Chico and Marysville.

Diary of a Young Girl Who Came To California in 1858

It is the Nugget's privilege to present to its readers the diary of Florence Rumsey (later' and better known' to our residents as Mrs. Mike Craig who for many years owned and occupied the Brick "Castle" on Prospect Hill).

The Diary was one of the stories submitted in the Contest of the Native Daughters History Committee by Laurel Parlor and which will probably be included in a book of such stories published under the auspices of the Native Daughters of the Golden West.

The items following the Diary were compiled by a local member of the order and are a fitting climax to the story written by Mrs. Craig.

FLORENCE RUMSEY CRAIG
Mother of Mrs. H. G. Rowe

Was born at Locust Grove Plantation near Madisonville, Kentucky, January 6, 1844 and was married in California June 18, 1876 at Salinas.

Follows: Copy of her diary written en route to California on the S. S. John L. Stephens in the Fall of 1858. W. F. Lapridge Commander.

The Diary also has list of the passengers of the steamer, which includes D. O. Mills, wife and two children and maid. In those times lists always said Lady instead of wife. Also on this steamer were 689 in steerage.

Memoranda

Arrival John L. Stephens in San Francisco, California. December 1st, 1858. With dates from New York to November 6th, 1858. Telegraph Cable giving intelligible signals. Yellow fever at New Orleans abated.

Pacific Mail steamship left Panama November 17th, 1858 at eleven o'clock P. M. with U. S. mail and passengers.

November 18th at three o'clock P. M. spoke P. M. S. Company steamer Sonora. November 23rd at 4 P. M. arrived at Acapulco, Mexico, took in supplies and coal and sailed at 7:30 P. M.

The John L. Stephens connected with P. M. S. Co's. steamer Oregon bringing passengers and mails from New Orleans. The Oregon arrived November 20 thus making the entire trip from New Orleans to San Francisco in fifteen days, deducting detentions at Ventura and Acapulco.

November 25, 1857 at three o'clock A. M. arrived at Manzanilla, received treasure and sailed again at 3:30 A. M.

At 8 o'clock P. M. exchanged signals with steamer supposed to be the Golden Age.

December 1, 1848, Wednesday at 5:30 P. M. arrived off the heads.

Experienced pleasant weather most of the passage, the general health of passengers has been excellent. Our ship brings 320 bags of mail and 925 packages of express freight. We were detained at Aspinwall 36 hours by heavy freshets which had flooded the railroad making it impassable. A violent storm commenced November 14th at Aspinwall lasting three days, many of the vessels in Navy Bay were obliged to put to sea and the American ship, Lelassar was driven ashore a total loss.

On board the John L. Stephens is a boy saved from the wreck of the Austria named Samuel Hess going to his brother Harry Hess, supposed to be in Stanislaus county, his friends can find him by application to Forbes and Babcock.

We feel the cold winds after two weeks of tropical weather in which we almost melted in the thinnest of summer clothing. We have now packed them away and are using our flannels and shawls and other winter clothing and can keep only comfortably warm.

Ma is sick again today. She has suffered severely from sea-sickness a great deal of the time ssince leaving New York City. Says she might as well have been weighed and brought as baggage for all she has eaten is ice and gruel being all that she could retain on her stomach. But she has been better lately and able to remain on deck in the fresh air part of the time. Brother Willie and I are perfectly well and have enjoyed this, our first sea voyage, very much indeed. Have enjoyed the trip so much this side of the Isthmus that I feel quite indifferent about reaching California. There is only one other passenger that I have heard express the same feeling; a young girl like myself says she does not care if we never reach San Francisco. But that we will do very soon unless some accident happens to the steamer for Captain Lapidge says we will reach that port this evening but probably not before dark.

Mr. and Mrs. Lount and all our other steamer acquaintances are very anxious to reach California. Say they are tired of ship life. We passed Monterey this morning where my father Judge Rumsey resides, but it was so very foggy we could not distinguish anything but a waste of water and banks of thick fog.

December 1st, 1858—We are at anchor aboard the steamer in San Francisco, California. It is quite late, almost time to retire All the passnegers do not intend to remain on board tonight. Some have gone into the city either to hotels or to their friends but many have remained on board among them, Mr. and Mrs. Lount and little servant boy, Jimmie. My mother, brother Willie and I sat together in the ladies cabin watching the immense throng of people crowd through the cabin in search of friends; at one time the crowd was so great we were in danger of being trampled on. Numberless hotel runners and hack drivers came to us endeavoring to persuade us to patronize their special hotel or hack but as we had decided to remain here all night Mr. Lount dismissed them in a summary manner by informing them that none of his party wanted a hack and once motoined to a hack driver and told him to bring one of his hacks on board. Mrs. Lount did not like that and requested him to refrain from such manners.

We eagerly watched the faces of all the men, hoping to see our father whom we had not met since we were little children only three and a half years and five months old. Neither Willie nor I would know him as our recollections were very faint. But of all the great crowd of gentlemen who came to greet friends or to meet their wives, or brothers to meet sisters and others to greet friends and acquainances but none to meet us. We saw party after party go ashore apparently happy that their long voyage was over and rejoicing to meet their friends. This was a great contrast to the scene on leaving New York. There was all sorrow at parting, this was all joy in meetings.

It was amusing to watch the crowd yet we were so disappointed, Ma. thinks Pa could not have received my letter writeen October 22nd about a week before we left Uncle James home.

We had intended coming before and sent a letter to that effect then Willie and I had whooping cough and Ma decided not to come and Pa did not receive the letter in time to prevent him from journeying to San Francisco to meet us. It is too bad to have such a disappointment the first thing on arrival in the "promised land."

This is a lovely evening. The city appears beautiful from the steamer, with its thousands of lights spread over a large space and rising one above the other. The fog cleared off about twelve o'clock and the rest of the day was bright with sunshine. As we crossed the bar the sea was rough and some of the passengers found difficulty in walking straight or keeping seats at the table and a great many glasses were broken. We arrived off the heads about half past five and word signaled to the city by telegraph cable and judging from the large crowd that came aboard arrival of a steamer creates no little excitement and interest. I remained on deck most of the time watching the scenery which seemed to me very beautiful. Mr. Lount jested with me as usual, telling me to watch for the immense golden apples on the posts of the Golden Gate. He seems to deriye much pleasure in telling us such stories about California, I suppose because he has been here before and we have not and of course know only what we have read and heard. The Golden Gate is really a water way about a mile wide and five miles long and is fortified, but I failed to see any

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Bills That Should Be Signed

It is to be hoped that Governor Merriam will affix his signature to Assembly Bills 234, 353 and 1711 which passed both houses of the legislature and are now on his desk.

Assembly Bill 234 fixes higher standards for admission to the profession of the law. In a plebiscite conducted by the State Bar last year it received a twelve-to-one indorsement from the lawyers of California. Subject to reasonable exceptions it requires two years of college work before beginning law studies, followed by four years of law in a part-time law school, or four years devoted "diligently and in good faith" to private tuition, or graduation after three years from an accredited school.

Enactment of this measure would bring California into line with thirty four other states that have already adopted such legislation for the improvement of the standards of admission. By providing also for intermediate examinations, the measure would furthermore save from final disappointment candidates for the bar whose mental equipment is inadequate.

Assembly Bills 353 and 1711 set up a retirement plan for judges of the superior, appellate and supreme courts in California.

Briefly, they provide that a judge or justice who has attained the age of seventy and has served for an aggregate of twelve years within a period of fifteen years, may retire on one-half the salary he last received. The judges, equally with the State of California, are to contribute from their salaries to the retirement fund.

In passing A. B. 353 and 1711, the legislature obeyed a mandate received from the voters of California in 1934.

These three measures have been studied by bench and bar for a long time. They reflect the considered judgment of the judges and lawyers that with their enactment the administration of justice in this state will be profoundly influenced for good.

Better equipped lawyers—judges with more ease of mind about their old age—that is what Governor Merriam will be working for if he signs these three bills.—Contributed.

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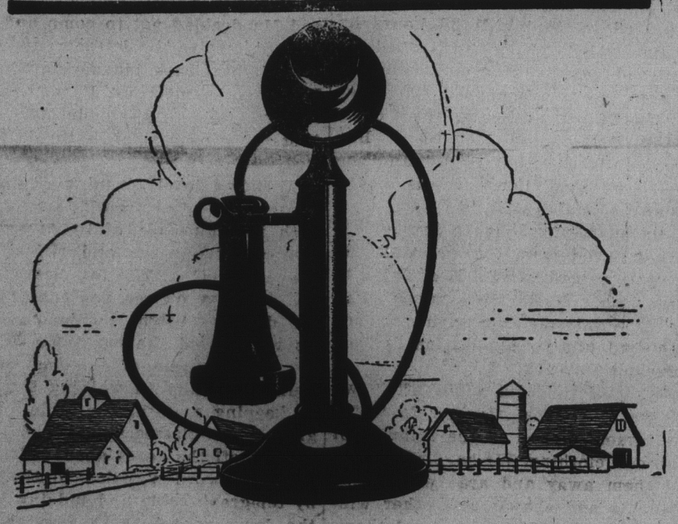

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FLORENCE RUMSEY CRAIG

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golden apples or gate posts. Alcatraz Island commands the entrance to the Bay and is almost solid rock. The passengers crowded to one side of the ship straining to see the city. The officers resorted to various devices to induce them at least a portion of them to remain on the other side; the crowd was so great that the ship actually tipped to one side. Once an officer reported a spouting whale on the sea and a few fell for the report but when discovered that it was a hoax they returned to the land side again and finaly official commands had to be given and obeyed.

(To Be Concluded Friday)

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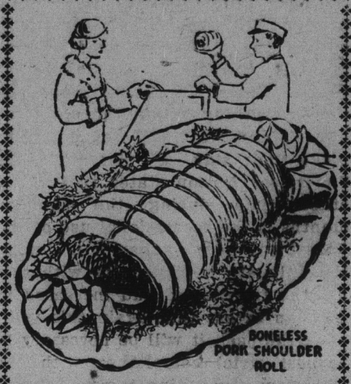

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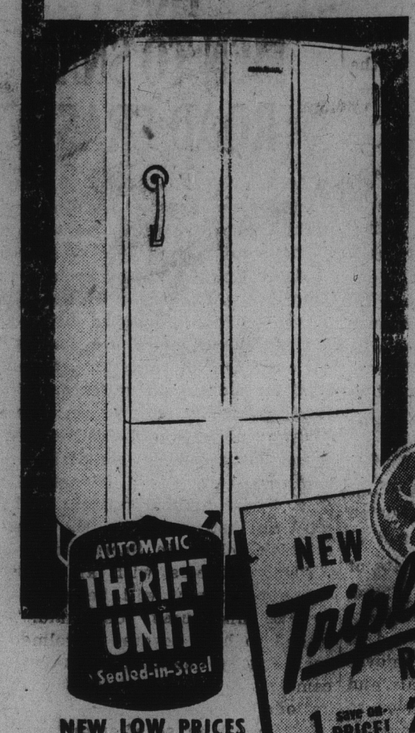

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LIQUOR TAX FOR MAY IS $188,004

SACRAMENTO, June 28.—California's beverage tax on beer and wine amounted to $188,004.81 for the month of May, the state board of equalization reported today.

The tax represented an increase of 6.68 per cent over the income of the same month of the previous year but was $5,595.09 or 2.89 per cent under the collections for April, 1937.

From the standpoint of the first five months of the year, the beverage tax has netted the state $756,921.46, as compared with $715,431.80 collected during the same period of 1936, according to board records.

Sales during the last month, on which the tax was collected, included the following:

Beer, 7,774,955½ gallons; still wine, 1,466,025½ gallons; sparkling wine 106,173 pints.

Of the beer sold in the state during the month, 90.35 per cent was of local manufacture, while 91.02 of the wine came from California wineries.

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DRUNK DRIVERS LOSE LICENSES

SACRAMENTO, June 28.—An increase of more than eleven per cent in the number of drivers' licenses issued during May as compared with the same period last year, was announced by Paul Mason, chief of the Division of Drivers' Licenses.

Last month the total was given as 74,735 an increase of 5,592 licenses over the 1936 figure.

Applicants who failed to pass the tests were given as 4,889, while 491 were definitely refused licenses, Mason reported.

During May the licenses of 1,065 persons were suspended and 172 had their licneses revoked or cancelled by the division. Of these, 978 followed conviction of drunken driving. Of this number four were in Nevada county.

Re-examination 148 persons was ordered during the month, and action taken on those previously ordered in was as follows: Thirteen were issued restricted licenses, three licenses were revoked, sixteen were suspended for failure to appear for re-examination, and five persons voluntarily surrendered their licenses.

HEAD ON COLLISION

CAMPTONVILLE, June 28.—One of the local CCC stake side trucks was involved in an accident Wednesday on the Yuba Pass highway between here and Freemans Crossing, when it was struck by a roadster driven by Roscoe Schuman of San Diego.

George Strodtman, driver of the truck, saw the other car coming, pulled into the bank and stopped, a moment later the other car striking him head on. Both vehicles were damaged somewhat. The matter was reported to Traffic Officer A. J. Ponta.

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DIESEL FUEL TAX IN FORCE JULY 1

SACRAMENTO, June 28. — A warning that motor vehicles using diesel fuel and other similar fuels may operate on public highways after July 1 only under permits issued by the state board of equalization, was given today by members of the board.

Under terms of the Use Fuel Tax act, it is provided:

"After July 1, 1937, it shall be unlawful for any person to place into any receptacle attached to the propulsion apparatus of a motor vehicle operating on the public highways, any fuel which does not carry the state gasoline tax unless such vehicle is equipped with a certificate that the registered owner has a permit to use such fuel."

Motor vehicle owners operating under permits issued by the board will be required to make monthly returns of the new tax at the rate of three cents per gallon, the same rate applying to gasoline.

It was pointed out in the warning that the tax on diesel oil and other similar fuels applies only to fuels used by motor vehicles on public highways and not to fuel used in farm equipment or machines used on other than public roads.

Reports have been receivd here, it was explained, that the law has been misrepresented by certain salesmen who claimed that all diesel fuel would be taxed after July 1.

MAY GAS TAX TOTAL $4,635,693

SACRAMENTO, June 28.—A substantial increase in gasoline sales during May pointed the way toward a record income for the year from the motor vehicle fuel tax, the state board of equalization announced today.

Income from the gasoline tax amounted to $4,635,695 during May an increase of 26.05 per cent over the same month of last year and a gain of $467,346.99 over the total collected during the previous month.

Indicative of improved economic conditions, the gasoline tax has amounted to $20,283,425.85 for the first five months of the year, as compared with $18,486,561.41 during the same period of 1936, according to board records.

"If this trend is continued," said Richard E. Collins, board chairman, "there is every reason to believe that th year will see the gasoline tax pass the $50,000,000 mark for the twelve month period."

A total of $48,286.92 was collected by the state from the gasoline tax in 1936.

HALKYARD MINE RESUMES

CAMPTONVILLE, June 26.—Two business transactions took place here during the past week. Ray Blakeslee of Nevada City has taken an option on the Halkyard mine and has moved there to begin getting things in shape. The Halkyard property is a draft gravel proposition which has been idle for the past two years.

William Burns has made arrangements to cut the timber on the Cassano property a mile north of town and is now erecting a saw mill near the residence of J. A. Cassano on the Yuba Pass highway. He has a quantity of lumber to cut for a mine at Nevada City. He is bringing in a mill from the Dobbins section.

CAMPTONVILLE, June 28.—A. J. Heether returned Tuesday from a business visit at San Francisco.

Mrs. B. F. McNaught and son Minot Roddell arrived Monday from Los Angeles and will spend the summer at the Sleighville House.

Miss Lesta Joubert, local high school teacher is recovering from an attack of the chicken pox.

Word was received here a few days ago that J. E. Dennis, a former resident had deserted his wife and small son, and skipped to Ohio. A warrant is out for his arrest.

V. F. W. DELEGATE

Mrs. Minnie Young, delegate from Banner Mt. Post, V. F. W., auxiliary left Sunday for the V. F. W. auxiliary encampment at Oroville. She was accompanied by Mrs. H. Burr, secretary of the local auxiliary. Both ladies will meet their sons, Harold Young coming from the bay district, and R. Hanrahan coming from Southern California.

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Dr. and Mrs. P. J. Walton of Oakland spent the week end at their property the Fruitvale Mine on Moores Flat. They called on Mrs. Walton's niece, Mrs. E. Martine at Nevada City.

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The next meeting Thursday, July 29, will be held at the home of Mrs. L. L. Larrabee, the White Spot, back of Sugar Loaf. The group plan to entertain their husbands with a picnic luncheon and party.

Mr. and Mrs. Farmer to Celebrate Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Farmer of Robinson Heights, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary on Friday, July 2. They will keep open house during the hours of 2 to 5 in the afternoon. They will be delighted to see their many friends on this auspicious occasion.

Grand Matron of O. E. S. to Visit G. V. Chapter

Deputy Grand Matron Mrs. Chas. W. Leiter of O. E. S. will go to Truckee Tuesday night to make an official visit to the Truckee chapter. Mrs. Leiter's guests will be Mrs. Wade French, Sacramento, Mrs. Gladys Scarlett, Colusa, and Mrs. W. M. Tindall, Lodi. Mrs. Rita Mae Cooper worthy grand matron, will make her annual official visit to Truckee and to a joint meeting of Aurora and Evangeline chapters, of Grass Valley and Nevada City respectively, in Grass Valley Wednesday evening.

Carl Murphy Weds Sacramento Belle

Carl Murphy, formerly of Nevada City was married to Miss Mary Domis of Sacramento at a most beautiful service in St. Francis church Saturday evening. The bride wore a white gown and veil, carrying a bouquet of white gardenias. In attendance were two bridesmaids, best man, maid of honor, flower girl and two ushers.

Those from Nevada City attending the wedding were Mrs. Louise Pianezzi, Miss Fay Murphy, Donald Murphy and Miss Madge Pianezzi.

Camptonville Women's Club Give Card Party

CAMPTONVILLE, June 28.—The Womens Club of Camptonville held another of their popular card parties Thursday evening at the local Masonic hall with a good attendance. Several tables of cards were enjoyed followed by delightful refreshments furnished by Mrs. William A. Lang, Mrs. Eldred Jones and Mrs. Louis Rose.

Mrs. Constance Pfiffer won the prize for the highest score, and Mrs. Ralph Gleason the booby prize, with Miss Kathryn Pauly winning the door prize.

Miss Catherine Stephens, graduate from the Nevada City high school with the class of '37, has been employed at Kopps Bakery in Nevada City as bookkeeper.

Mrs. Edna Meredith and son, Wilson, of Oakland came up this week end and are visiting Mrs. Meredith's mother, Mrs. Will Maguire.

Personal

Mrs. William Morgan of Oakland is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. Hogan, in Nevada City and will remain until after the Fourth of July. Miss Ruth Hogan accompanied her to Nevada City.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Tatman and Mrs. Ed Baker motored to Cherry Hill Lookout near North Bloomfield last Sunday and visited Mr. Baker's son, Carl Baker, who is lookout at Cherry Hill and they also enjoyed a picnic party.

C. O. Woodin of Sacramento and two daughters who are staying at Lake Vera, and C. W. Kimey of Marysville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Garrison Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bolton and children spent the week end in Napa visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Harold Shiffer and eight months old son of Ontario arrived Sunday to spend a seven weeks vacation at the home of Mrs. Shiffers parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Berggren. The sturdy little boy is the the first grandson and is quite a favorite with all the family.

Mrs. Catherine Celio is leaving Thursday for Santa Clara where she will spend some time with her mother and her son, Gove, Jr. She will also visit her daughter, Miss Catherine Celio, before returning home at the end of the summer season.

Frank Guenther, who is in the employ of the Union Ice Company, has been quite ill at his home on Nevada street. He was take to the Nevada City sanitarium for a few days treatment and is expected to soon recover from his illness.

Mrs. Gertrude Botting came up from the bay district and is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Smith, who is recovering from a recent appendix operation performed at the Nevada City sanitarium. Mrs. Smith was the former Nita Botting of this city.

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